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Dear General Smith:-

Congratulations upon your appointment as Director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

If we can help you in any way here in New York please feel free to call upon us for cooperation. Why don't you make the Governor Clinton your headquarters on your next stay in New York City, and let me show you how nicely you can really be taken care of. The Governor Clinton is probably the nicest hotel in the Penn Zone and offers you an atmosphere and surroundings that I am sure will more than please you. You can recommend it to your friends and know you've done "right" by them.

Why don't you drop me a note next time you are coming to New York and let me make fine reservations for you and your friends. If you want me to arrange an identification card, advise me accordingly and I will send you signature cards.

Cordially yours,

Shepard Henkin

General Walter Bedell Smith Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D. C.

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Mr Shepard Henkin Director of Advertising & Public Relations Hotel Governor Clinton New York 1, NY

Dear Mr Henkins:

General Smith has asked me to scknowledge with his thanks your kind letter of 30 August congratulating him on the occasion of his new appointment as Director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

The General appreciates your kind offer of assistance and hospitality, and will keep it in mind for his future trips to New York.

Sincerely,

DEAN N. BRESSLER Captain, Infantry Aide de Camp